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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Box Non-Fee Amendments")
(X) Other: CD-ROM/4 Binders as explained in the Response (fee \$)

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TOTAL CLAIMS	28	MINUS	28	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	= 0	X \$84	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$400.00	3RD MONTH \$920.00	4TH MONTH \$1440.00	\$ 0	
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 50-1078. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1078 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-1078 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Todd D. Alleckson, et al.

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Communication mailed September 24, 2001. The Examiner had requested some information relating to products having the name "Viridia".

After having made suitable and reasonable inquiries, the undersigned attorney has received information related to products having the name "Viridia". The information is on the enclosed CD-ROM disk and includes the following seven items:

- 1) M1205-90061 – HP1205A Viridia Model 24/24XT User's Reference Manual
- 2) M1350-9001Q – HP Viridia Series 50XM & 50XMO Fetal/Maternal Monitor User's Guide
- 3) M1351-9001G – HP Viridia Fetal Monitor Series 50A Setting Up and Using your Monitor
- 4) M1353-9001F – HP Viridia Fetal Monitor Series 501P Setting up and Using your Monitor
- 5) M1384-9001E – HP Series 50 OBTraceVue Obstetrical Information Management System User's Guide
- 6) M3046-9001B – Viridia M3/M4 Monitor M3046A Viridia Measurement Server M3000A & Viridia Measurement Server Extensions M3015A & M3016A User's Guide
- 7) M3150-9031A – HP Viridia Information Center HP Telemetry System User's Guide

In addition, four volumes of photocopied documents are also included. These volumes include:

- 1) M1046-9081G - HP Viridia Component Monitoring System Anesthesia/ Neonatal/ Standard Voume 1
- 2) M1046-9081G - HP Viridia Component Monitoring System Anesthesia/ Neonatal/ Standard Voume 2 Parameter Information
- 3) M1046-9181G - HP Viridia Component Monitoring System Volume 1 System Information
- 4) M1046-9181G - HP Viridia Component Monitoring System Volume 2 Parameter Information

No representation or statement that these materials represent prior art is being made or should be implied. This is particularly of note with the M3046-9001B and M1384-9001E documents, which are believed to have been published later than one year prior to the filing date of the present application.

Statement under 37 CFR 1.105(a)(3)

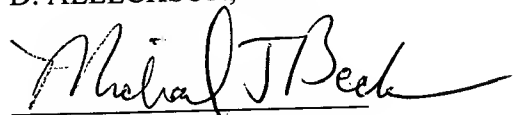
Any other information required to be submitted is unknown and/or is not readily available to the party or parties from which it was requested.

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney if there are any issues that may be resolved via a telephone call. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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